

THE CITY OF COLUMBUS

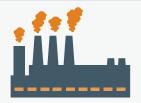
ANDREW J. GINTHER, MAYOR

is a Certified 4-STR Community

Built Environment Climate & Energy Economy & Jobs 🕏 Equity & Empowerment 🐚 Health & Safety 6 Natural Systems Innovation & Process 👺



17.5% decrease in **Greenhouse Gas Intensity** since 2013



reduction in community-wide greenhouse gas emissions between 2013 and 2014

Neighborhood Liaisons work between the local government and neighborhood associations to ensure that citizens' voices are heard



reduction in city use of petroleum between 2008 and 2013, exceeding the target of 5% by 2014 CoGo bike sharing program has 300 bicycles at 30 bicycle stations

1,729 projects

have been registered through the GreenSpot Backyard **Conservation Program**,

including rain barrels, composting bins, and rain gardens

of residents live within one mile of a community

The City Arts Commission has approved 25 community art installations since 2013



The STAR Community Rating System is the nation's leading certification program for community sustainability. It provides a clear, data-driven approach to assessing social, economic and environmental progress. **DECEMBER 2015**